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Attached is a RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED OCTOBER 1, 2004, for the above-referenced application.

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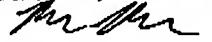
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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 1, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 1, 2004 (1 month deadline), please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicant believes that no additional fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/INFN/MB0061/GGM, for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

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